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In response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2002 please enter the following amendments and consider the accompanying remarks. Filed concurrent with this Amendment is a Request for a two-month Extension of Time to respond this Office Action and a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. Additionally, please charge any fees that may be due to Deposit Account No. 23-3030, but do not include any payment of issue fees that are or may become due.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 17 + 23 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein.

Amendment
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